we are currently reviewing both the Part 21 and Part 94 technical rules, and anticipate issuing in the near future a proposal to update and consolidate these rules.

- 73. Use of Government Spectrum. The majority of commenting parties urge that government spectrum at 1710-1850 MHz and/or 3.6-3.7 GHz be made available to non-government users. AT&T says that public safety 2 GHz incumbent operators in spectrum allocated for unlicensed PCS applications should be given priority access to any spectrum in the 1710-1850 MHz band that becomes available as a result of negotiations with NTIA. Alcatel maintains that the Commission's decision not to pursue reallocation of the 3.6-3.7 GHz band limits the spectrum available and thus exacerbates the potential capacity problem of displaced 2 GHz incumbents.
- 74. As noted in the Further Notice, we are discussing with NTIA non-government access to the 1710-1850 MHz and 3.6-3.7 GHz In August 1992, NTIA released a report, "Feasibility of Relocating Non-Government Fixed Systems into the 1710-1850 MHz Band," stating that there is sufficient spectrum in many areas of the United States to accommodate a limited number of nongovernment 2 GHz microwave links in the 1710-1850 MHz government NTIA further stated that it will cooperate with the Commission to provide spectrum in the 1710-1850 MHz band for relocating fixed microwave links that cannot operate reliably at 6 GHz, establish technical rules and coordination procedures necessary to identify such links, evaluate the feasibility of relocation in the 1710-1850 MHz band, and if feasible, implement such relocation. We will continue our discussions with NTIA, but the result is uncertain. We believe that the action taken today ensures that the spectrum needs of all potentially displaced 2 GHz users will be adequately met. However, if the 3.6-3.7 GHz band is made available, it will provide an additional resource that may lessen the costs of meeting these needs. Accordingly, we are continuing discussions with NTIA, and will issue progress reports as appropriate.31

NTIA Report 92-286. This report was placed in the ET Docket No. 92-9 file.

See Letter dated August 11, 1992, from the Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information, U.S. Department of Commerce, to the Chairman of the FCC. This letter accompanied the "NTIA Feasibility Report." The issue of priority access to the 1710-1850 MHz band by 2 GHz public safety incumbents is addressed in our companion Third Report and Order and Memorandum Opinion and Order.

³¹ We note that pursuant to PL 103-66, 107 Stat 312, enacted on August 10, 1993, the Secretary of Commerce must identity and transfer to the Commission not less than 200 megahertz of government spectrum for non-government use.

Summary. Our reallocations permit shared private and common carrier fixed microwave use of the 4, 6, 10, and 11 GHz bands, and our channelization plans are designed to accommodate displaced 2 GHz fixed licensees in the most efficient manner. We have chosen not to rechannelize the 4 GHz band in order to minimize the possibility of harmful interference to existing users of this band, and have chosen a compromise 1.25 MHz-based channel plan in the remaining bands in order to accommodate in the most desirable manner the needs of existing and future users of these bands. We believe this plan can optimally accommodate most displaced 2 GHz licensees, as well as ensuring that most existing equipment remains usable. The plan will permit flexibility for both microwave users and manufacturers and encourage a competitive market for the supply of equipment. Additionally, the coordination procedures and technical rules that we have adopted will promote fair and efficient use of the bands.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

- 76. Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. Section 603, an initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis was incorporated in the <u>Further Notice of Proposed Rule</u> in ET Docket No. 92-9. Written comments on the proposals in the <u>Further Notice</u>, including the Regulatory Flexibility Analysis, were requested.
- 77. Need for and Objective of Rules. Our objective is to reaccommodate current 2 GHz common carrier and private fixed microwave licensees above 3 GHz with appropriate channelization plans and technical rules. Reaccommodation of these licensees is necessary to ensure that they can continue to provide equivalent service with comparable reliability.
- 78. <u>Issues Raised by the Public in Response to the Initial Analysis</u>. Many parties suggested modifications to the proposed reallocations, rechannelization plans, and technical rules, although not specifically to the initial regulatory flexibility analysis. As a result, we have modified our proposals as appropriate. For example, in the <u>Further Notice</u> we had proposed to use a 1.6 MHz-based channel plan in the 4, 6, and 10 GHz

All of the spectrum to be transfered must be below 5 GHz, and one-half must be below 3 GHz; not less than 50 megahertz of the 200 megahertz must be recommended for immediate reallocation within six months of the statute's enactment, 25 megahertz of which must be below 3 GHz. While it is possible that spectrum in the 1710-1850 MHz and 3.6-3.7 GHz bands may be used to satisfy this requirement, it would be premature to base our decision herein on that possibility.

bands, and a 10 MHz-based plan in the 11 GHz band; however, commenting parties have convinced us that the existing 20 MHz channel plan is more appropriate in the 4 GHz band, and that a 1.25 MHz-based plan is more appropriate in the 6, 10, and 11 GHz bands.

- 79. Any Significant Alternative Minimizing Impact on Small Entities and Consistent With Stated Objectives. We have reduced burdens wherever possible. The regulatory burdens we have retained are necessary in order to ensure that the public receives the benefits of continued fixed microwave service in a prompt and efficient manner. We will continue to examine alternatives in the future with the objectives of eliminating unnecessary regulations and minimizing any significant economic impact on small entities. The Secretary shall send a copy of this Second Report and Order to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration.
- 80. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that Parts 2, 21, 22, and 94 of the Commission's rules and Regulations ARE AMENDED as specified below, effective 90 days after publication in the Federal Register. This action is taken pursuant to Sections 4(i), 303(c), 303(f), 303(g), and 303(r) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Sections 154(i), 303(c), 303(f), 303(g), and 303(r).

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

William F. Caton Acting Secretary

Appendix A-- RULE CHANGES

I. Part 2 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 2 - FREQUENCY ALLOCATIONS AND RADIO TREATY MATTERS; GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The authority citation in Part 2 continues to read:

AUTHORITY: Sec. 4, 302, 303, and 307 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Sections 154, 154(i), 302, 303, 303(r), and 307, unless otherwise noted.

- 2. Section 2.106, the Table of Frequency Allocations is amended as follows:
 - a. Add a primary allocation for the Private Operational-Fixed Microwave Service in column (6) of the 3700-4200 MHz band.
 - b. Add a primary allocation for the Private Operational-Fixed Microwave Service in column (6) of the 5925-6425 MHz band.
 - c. Add a primary allocation for the Domestic Public Fixed Services in column (6) of the 6525-6875 MHz band.
 - d. Add a primary allocation for the Private Operational-Fixed Microwave Service in column (6) of the 10.55-10.60 GHz band.
 - e. Add a primary allocation for the Private Operational-Fixed Microwave Service in column (6) of the 10.60-10.68 GHz band.
 - f. Add a primary allocation for the Private Operational-Fixed Microwave Service in column (6) of the 10.7-11.7 GHz band.

§ 2.106 Table of Frequency Allocations

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Region 1 Allocation MHz	Region 2 Allocation MHz	Region 3 Allocation MHz	Government Allocation MHz	Non-Government Allocation MHz	Rule Part(s)	Special-Us Frequencie	
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Region 1 Allocation MHz	Region 2 Allocation MHz	Region 3 Allocation MHz	Government Allocation MHz	Non-Government Allocation MHz	Rule Part(s)	Special-Use Frequencies
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	*	*	*	* *		
10.55-10.60	FIXED. MOBILE except aeronautical mobile. Radiolocation.		10.55-10.60	10.55-10.60 FIXED.	DOMESTIC PUBLIC FIXED(21). PRIVATE OPERA- TIONAL-FIXED MICROWAVE(94).	
10.60-10.68	EARTH EXPLORA- TION SATELLITE (passive). FIXED. MOBILE except aeronautical mobile. RADIO ASTRONOMY. SPACE RESEARCH (passive). Radiolocation.		10.60-10.68 EARTH EXPLORATION- SATELLITE (passive). SPACE RESEARCH (passive).	10.60-10.68 EARTH EXPLORATION- SATELLITE (passive). FIXED. SPACE RESEARCH (passive).	DOMESTIC PUBLIC FIXED(21). PRIVATE OPERA- TIONAL FIXED MICROWAVE(94).	

	International Tabl	e	United S	tates Table	FCC use desi	gnators
Region 1 Allocation MHz	Region 2 Allocation MHz	Region 3 Allocation MHz	Government Allocation MHz	Non-Government Allocation MHz	Rule Part(s)	Special-Use Frequencies
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
10.7-11.7 FIXED. FIXED-SATELL- ITE (space- to-Earth) (Earth-to- space). MOBILE except	10.7-11.7 FIXED. FIXED-SATELLITE (space-to- Earth) MOBILE except aeronautical mobile.		10.7-11.7	10.7-11.7 FIXED. FIXED SATELLITE (space-to-Earth).	DOMESTIC PUBLIC FIXED(21). PRIVATE OPERA- TIONAL-FIXED MICROWAVE(94).	
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II. Part 21 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 21 - DOMESTIC PUBLIC FIXED RADIO SERVICES

1. The authority citation in Part 21 continues to read:

AUTHORITY: Secs. 1, 2, 4, 201-205, 208, 215, 218, 303, 307, 313, 314, 403, 404, 410, 602; 48 Stat. as amended, 1064, 1066, 1070-1073, 1076, 1077, 1080, 1082, 1083, 1087, 1094, 1098, 1102; 47 U.S.C. 151, 154, 201-205, 208, 215, 218, 303, 307, 313, 314, 403, 404, 602; 47 U.S.C. 552.

2. Subpart C is amended by revising sections 21.100, 21.107, 21.108, 21.120, and 21.122 to read as follows:

Section 21.100 Frequencies.

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- (c) Frequency diversity transmission will not be authorized in these services in the absence of a factual showing that the required communications cannot practically be achieved by other Where frequency diversity is deemed to be justified on a protection channel basis, it shall be limited to one protection channel for the bands 3700-4200, 5925-6425, and 6525-6875 MHz, and a ratio of one protection channel for three working channels for the bands 10,550-10,680 and 10,700-11,700 MHz. In the bands 3700-4200, 5925-6425, and 6525-6875 MHz, no frequency diversity protection channel will be authorized unless there is a minimum of three working channels, except that where a substantial showing is made that a total of three working channels will be required within three years, a protection channel may be authorized simultaneously with the first working channel. protection channel authorized under such exception will be subject to termination if applications for the third working channel are not filed within three years of the grant date of the applications for the first working channel. Where equipment employing digital modulation techniques with cross-polarized operation on the same frequency is used, the protection channel authorized under the above conditions may be considered to consist of both polarizations of the protection frequency where such is shown to be necessary.
 - (d)(1) * * *
 - (d)(2)(i)-(x) * * *
- (d)(2)(xi) Interference protection criteria for fixed stations in the bands 3700-4200, 5925-6425, 6525-6875, 10,550-10,680, and 10,700-11,700 MHz are specified in Section 94.63.

(d)(2)(xii) Any frequency reserved by a licensee for future use in the bands 3700-4200, 5925-6425, 6525-6875, 10,550-10,680, and 10,700-11,700 MHz must be released for use by another licensee upon a showing by the latter that it requires an additional frequency and cannot coordinate one that is not reserved for future use.

Section 21.107 Transmitter power.

(b) The rated power of a transmitter employed in these radio services shall not exceed the values shown in the following tabulation:

Frequency band		allowable ter power			
(MHz)	Fixed (W)	Mobile (W)	Fixed (dBW)	Mobile (dBW)	
512.0 to 2,110 932.5 to 935.0 941.5 to 944.0 2,110 to 2,130 2,150 to 2,160 2,160 to 2,180 2,500 to 2,686 2,686 to 2,690 3,700 to 4,200 5,925 to 6,425 6,425 to 6,525 6,525 to 6,875 10,550 to 10,680 10,700 to 11,700 12,200 to 13,250 17,700 to 18,600 18,600 to 18,800 18,800 to 19,700 21,200 to 23,600 27,500 to 29,500 31,000 to 31,300	20.0 20.0 20.0 20.0 (1)20.0 (1)20.0 (1)10.0 0.25 20.0 20.0 10.0 10.0 10.0 10.0 10.0 10.0	20.0	(3) +40 +40 +45 	+35	
31,000 to 31,300 38,600 to 40,000	0.05 10.0	0.05 1.5	+50		

Footnote (1) * * *

⁽²⁾ The power delivered to the antenna is limited to -3 dBW.

⁽³⁾ The EIRP of stations in the 932-935, 941.5-944, and 10,600-10,800 MHz bands must not exceed +40 dBW.

⁽⁴⁾ The output power of a Digital Termination System nodal transmitter shall not exceed 0.5 watts per 250 KHz. The output power of a Digital Termination System user transmitter shall not exceed 0.04 watts per 250 KHz. The transmitter power in terms of the watts specified is the peak envelope power of the emission measured at the associated antenna input power. The operating power shall not exceed the authorized power by more than 10 percent of the authorized power in watts at any time.

Section 21.108 Directional antennas.

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Antenna Standards

Frequency(NHz) Cat	egory	Maximum beam- width to						on to ar beam in		
		3 dB points (included angle in degrees)	Minimum antenna gain (dBi)	5° to 10°	10 ⁰ to 15 ⁰	15 ⁰ to 20 ⁰	20° to 30°	30° to 100°	100° to 140°	140 ⁰ to 180 ⁰
932.5 to 935	A	14.0	n/a		<u>6</u>	11	14	17	20	24
941.5 to 944	В	20.0	n/a			6	10	13	15	20
2,500 to 4,200	A	n/a	36	23	29	33	36	42	55	55
•	В	n/a	36	20	24	28	32	32	32	32
5,925 to 6,425 (5)	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	21	25	29	32	35	39	45
5,925 to 6,425 (6)	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
·	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
6,525 to 6,875 (5)	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	21	25	29	32	35	35	39
6,525 to 6,875 (6)	A	1.5	n/a	26	29	32	34	38	41	49
	В	2.0	n/a	21	25	29	32	35	39	45
10,550 to 10,680 (4)	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
(5)		n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	35	39
10,550 to 10,680 (6)	A	3.4	34	20	24	28	32	35	55	55
	В	3.4	34	20	24	28	32	35	35	39
10,565 to 10,615 (7)	n/a	360	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
10,630 to 10,680 (7)		n/a	34	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
10,700 to 11,700 (5)	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
17,700 to 18,820	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
18,920 to 19,700 1	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
21,200 to 23,600	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36
31,000 to 31,300 (2) (3)	n/a	4.0	38	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Above 31,300	A	n/a	38	25	29	33	36	42	55	55
• -	В	n/a	38	20	24	28	32	35	36	36

- (1) Digital Termination User Station antennas in this band shall meet performance Standard B and have a minimum antenna gain of 34 dBi. The maximum beamwidth requirement does not apply to DTS User Stations. Digital Termination Nodal Stations need not comply with these standards.
- (2) (3) * * *
- (4) Except for such antennas between 140° and 180° authorized or pending on January 1, 1989, in the band 10,550 to 10,565 MHz for which minimum radiation to suppression to angle (in degrees) from centerline of main beam is 36 decibels.
- (5) These antenna standards apply to all point-to-point stations authorized after June 1, 1997. Existing licensees and pending applicants on that date are grandfathered and need not comply with these standards.
- (6) These antenna standards apply to all point-to-point stations authorized on or before June 1, 1997.
- (7) These antenna standards apply only to Digital Termination User Stations licensed, in operation, or applied for prior to July 15, 1993.

NOTE: Stations must employ an antenna that meets the performance standards for Category A, except that in areas not subject to frequency congestion, antennas meeting standards for Category B may be employed. Note, however, that the Commission may require the use of high performance antennas where interference problems can be resolved by the use of such antennas.

- (d) * * *
- (e) These limitations are necessary to minimize the probability of harmful interference to reception in the bands 5925-6875 on board geostationary space stations in the fixed-satellite service (Part 25).
 - (1) 5925 to 6875 MHz. * * *
 - (2) * * *

Section 21.120 Authorization of transmitters.

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(e) After July 15, 1994, the manufacture (except for export) or importation of equipment employing digital modulation techniques in the 3700-4200, 5925-6425, 6525-6875, 10,550-10,680, and 10,700-11,700 MHz bands must meet the minimum payload capacity requirements of Section 21.122(a)(3).

Section 21.122 Microwave digital modulation.

(a) Microwave transmitters employing digital modulation techniques and operating below 15 GHz shall, with appropriate

multiplex equipment, comply with the following additional requirements:

- (1) The bit rate, in bits per second, shall be equal to or greater than the bandwidth specified by the emission designator in Hertz (e.g., to be acceptable, equipment transmitting at a 20 Mb/s rate must not require a bandwidth of greater than 20 MHz), except the bandwidth used to calculate the minimum rate shall not include any authorized guard band.
- (2) Equipment to be used for voice transmission placed in service, authorized, or applied for on or before June 1, 1997 in the 2110 to 2130 and 2160 to 2180 MHz bands shall be capable of satisfactory operation within the authorized bandwidth to encode at least 96 voice channels. Equipment placed in service, authorized, or applied for on or before June 1, 1997 in the 3700-4200, 5925-6425 (30 MHz bandwidth), and 10,700-11,700 MHz (30 and 40 MHz bandwidths) bands shall be capable of satisfactory operation within the authorized bandwidth to encode at least 1152 voice channels. These required loading levels may be reduced by a factor of 1/N provided that N transmitters may be operated satisfactorily, over the same radio path, within an authorized bandwidth less than, or equal to, the maximum authorizable bandwidth (e.g., the 1152 channel requirement may be reduced to 576 if two transmitters can be satisfactorily operated over the same path within the maximum bandwidth). Where type accepted equipment is designed to operate on the same frequency in a cross polarized configuration to meet the above capacity requirements, the Commission will require, at the time additional transmitters are authorized, that both polarizations of a frequency be used before a new frequency assignment is made, unless a single transmitter installation was found to be justified by the Commission at the time it authorized the first transmitter.
- (3) The following capacity and loading requirements shall be met for equipment applied for, authorized, and placed in service after June 1, 1997 in the 3700-4200 MHz (4 GHz), 5925-6425 and 6525-6875 MHz (6 GHz), 10,550-10,680 MHz (10 GHz), and 10,700-11,700 MHz (11 GHz) bands:

Minimum Payload Capacity (Mbits/s)	Minimum Traffic Loading Payload (as percent of payload capacity)	Typical Utilization*
1.54	n/a	1 DS-1
3.08	n/a	2 DS-1
3.08	n/a	2 DS-1
6.17	n/a	4 DS-1
6.17	n/a	4 DS-1
12.3	n/a	8 DS-1
18.5		12 DS-1
44.7	50**	1 DS-3/STS-1
89.4	50**	2 DS-3/STS-1
	Payload Capacity (Mbits/s) 1.54 3.08 3.08 6.17 6.17 12.3 18.5 44.7	Payload Traffic Loading Capacity Payload (as percent (Mbits/s) of payload capacity) 1.54

30.0 (11 GHz)	89.4	50**	2 DS-3/STS-1
30.0 (6 GHz)	134.1	50**	3 DS-3/STS-1
40.0	134.1	50**	3 DS-3/STS-1

- * DS and STS refer to the number of voice circuits a channel can accommodate. 1 DS-1 = 24 voice circuits; 2 DS-1 = 48;
- 4 DS-1 = 96; 8 DS-1 = 192; 12 DS-1 = 288; 1 DS-3/STS-1 = 672; 2 DS-3/STS-1 = 1344; 3 DS-3/STS-1 = 2016.
- ** This loading requirement must be met within 30 months of
- licensing. If two transmitters simultaneously operate on the same frequency over the same path, the requirement is reduced to 25 percent.
- (4) If a transmitter is authorized to operate in a bandwidth that is not listed in paragraph (a)(3) of this section, it shall meet the minimum payload capacity and traffic loading requirements of the next largest channel bandwidth listed in the table; e.g., if the authorized bandwidth is 3.5 MHz, the minimum payload capacity shall be 12.3 Mbits/s.
- (5) Transmitters carrying digital motion video motion material are exempt from the requirements specified in paragraphs (a)(2) and (a)(3) of this section, provided that the minimum bit rate specified in paragraph (a)(1) is met. In the 6, 10, and 11 GHz bands, concatenation of multiple contiguous channels is permitted for channels of equal bandwidth on center frequencies, provided no other channels are available and the minimum payload capacity requirements are met.

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3. Subpart G is amended by deleting section 21.507 and by revising sections 21.502, 21.503, and 21.506 to read as follows:

Section 21.502 Frequencies.

- (a) Frequencies in the 17,700-19,700 MHz band are available for assignment for all DEMS applicants. Assignment will consist of a pair of channels as set out in paragraph (c) of this section plus internodal channels as set out in paragraph (d) of this section.
- (b) Licensees may apply for an additional channel pair in an SMSA only when it is operating its previously authorized DTS at or near the expected capacity and the service to be provided will fully utilize all spectrum requested.
- (c) Digital Termination Systems assignments shall be made according to the following plan, except that systems licensed, in operation, or applied for in the 10,565-10,615 and 10,630-10,680 MHz bands prior to July 15, 1993 are permitted to use frequencies in those bands if they prior coordinate with 10 GHz point-to-point licensees:

Channel No.	Nodal station frequency band (MHz)	User station frequency band (MHz)
30	18,880-18,890 18,890-18,900 18,900-18,910	19,210-19,220 19,220-19,230 19,230-19,240 19,240-19,250 19,250-19,260

These channel pairs will be assigned in each SMSA and may be subdivided as desired by the licensee.

(d) Internodal link assignments are to be made in accordance with the provisions of Subpart I of Part 21, applying to point-to-point operations.

Section 21.503 Frequency stability.

The frequency stability of each Digital Termination Nodal Station transmitter authorized for this service in the 17,700-19,700 MHz band shall be ± 0.001 %. The frequency stability of each Digital Termination User Station transmitter authorized for this service in this band shall be ± 0.003 %.

Section 21.506 Transmitter power.

The transmitter power will be governed by Section 21.107 of this rule part. Further, each application shall contain an analysis demonstrating compliance with Section 21.107(a).

4. Subpart I is amended by revising sections 21.701 and 21.710 to read as follows:

Section 21.701 Frequencies.

(a) Frequencies in the following bands are available for assignment to fixed radio stations in the Point-to-Point Microwave Radio Service.

932.5-935 MHz 17	13,200-13,250 MHz 4
941.5-944 MHz 17 18	17,700-18,820 MHz 5 10 15
2,110-2,130 MHz 1 3 7 20	18,920-19,160 MHz 5 10 15
2,160-2,180 MHz 1 2 20 21	19,260-19,700 MHz 5 10 15
3,700-4,200 MHz 8 14	21,200-22,000 MHz 4 11 12 13
5,925-6,425 MHz 6 14	22,000-23,600 MHz 4 11 12
6,525-6,875 MHz 14	27,500-29,500 MHz 5
10,550-10,680 MHz 19	31,000-31,300 MHz 16
10,700-11,700 MHz 8 9 19	38,600-40,000 MHz 4

Footnotes 1-13 * * *

- 14 Frequencies in this band are shared with stations in the fixed-satellite and private-operational fixed microwave services. Footnotes 15-18 * * *
- 19 Frequencies in this band are shared with stations in the private-operational fixed microwave service.
- 20 New facilities in these bands will be licensed only on a secondary basis. Facilities licensed or applied before January 16, 1992, are permitted to make modifications and minor extensions and retain their primary status.
- 21 Any authorization of additional stations to use the 2160-2162 MHz band for Multipoint Distribution Service applied for after January 16, 1992 shall be secondary to use of the band for emerging technology services.
 - (b) * * *
 - (C) * * *
 - (d) 3,700 to 4,200 MHz. 20 MHz maximum authorized bandwidth.
 - 20 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transı (rece: (MHz)		Receive (transmit) (MHz)
3710		3990
3730		4010
3750		3950
3770		3970
3790		4070
3810		4090
3830		4030
3850		4050
3870		4150
3890		4170
3910		4110
3930		4130
n/a	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	4190 1

1 This frequency may be assigned for unpaired use.

- (e) 5,925 to 6,425 MHz. 30 MHz authorized bandwidth.
- (1) 400 kHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit	Receive
(receive) (MHz)	(transmit) (MHz)
5925 225	6177 100

5925.625	6177.50	0
5926.050	6177.92	5
5926.450	6178.32	5
5926.875	6178.75	0
5927.275	6179.15	0
5927.725	6179.60	0
5928.125	6180.00	0
5928.550	6180.42	5
5928.950	6180.82	5
5929.375	6181.25	0
5929.775	6181.65	0
6168.350	6420.22	_
6168.750	6420.62	5
6169.175	6421.05	0
6169.575	6421.45	0
6170.000	6421.87	5
6170.400	6422.27	5
6170.850	6422.72	5
6171.250	6423.12	5
6171.675	6423.55	-
6172.075	6423.95	0
6172.500	6424.37	_
6172.900	6424.77	5
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(2) 800 kHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive) (MHz)		Receive (transmit) (MHz)
5925.425		6177.300
5926.250		6178.125
5927.075		6178.950
5927.925		6179.800
5928.750		6180.625
5929.575		6181.450
6168.550		6420.425
6169.375		6421.250
6170.200		6422.075
6171.050		6422.925
6171.875		6423.750
6172.700	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6424.575

(3) 1.25 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive) (MHz)	Receive (transmit) (MHz)
5925.625	 6177.500
5926.875	 6178.750
5928,125	 6180.000

5929.375			6181.250
6108.893			6360.933
6110.128			6362.168
			6363.404
6111.364		=	
6112.599			6364.639
6113.834			6365.874
6115.070			6367.110
6116.305			6368.345
6117.541			6369.581
			6370.816
6118.776		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6120.011		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6372.051
6121.247			6373.287
6122.482			6374.522
6123.718			6375.758
			6376.993
6124.953			
6126.189		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6378.229
6127.424			6379.464
6128.659			6380.699
6129.895			6381.935
6131.130			6383.170
6132.366			6384.406
6133.601		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6385.641
6134.836			6386.876
6136.072			6388.112
6137.307			6389.347
6138.543			6390.583
6139.778			6391.818
			6393.054
6141.014		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6142.249		•••••	6394.289
6143.484			6395.524
6144.720			6396.760
6145.955			6397.995
6147.191			6399.231
6148.426			6400.466
6149.661		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6401.701
6150.897			6402.937
6152.132			6404.172
6153.368			6405.408
6154.603			6406.643
6155.839			6407.879
			6409.114
6157.074		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6158.309		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6410.349
6159.545			6411.585
6160.780			6412.820
6162.016			6414.056
6163.251			6415.291
			6416.526
6164.486		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6165.722		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6417.762
6166.957			6418.997
6168.750			6420.625
6170.000			6421.875
6171.250			6423.125
6172.500			6424.375
	-		•
6173.750	1	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	n/a

6175.000	1	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	n/a
6176.250	1		n/a

1 - These frequencies may be assigned for unpaired use.

(4) 2.5 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit			Receive
(receive)			(transmit)
(MHz)			(MHz)
			
5926.250		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6178.125
5928.750		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6180.625
6109.510		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6361.550
6111.981		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6364.021
6114.452		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6366.492
6116.923		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6368.963
6119.394		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6371.434
6121.865		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6373.905
6124.335		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6376.375
6126.806			6378.846
6129.277		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6381.317
6131.748		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6383.788
6134.219			6386.259
6136.690		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6388.730
6139.160			6391.200
6141.631			6393.671
6144.102			6396.142
6146.573			6398.613
6149.044			6401.084
6151.515			6403.555
6153.985			6406.025
6156.456			6408.496
6158.927			6410.967
6161.398			6413.438
6163.869			6415.909
6166.340		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6418.380
6169.375			6421.250
6171.875			6423.750
6175.625	1		n/a
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1 - This frequency may be assigned for unpaired use.

(5) 3.75 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive) (MHz)	Receive (transmit) (MHz)
6111.364	 6363.404
6116.305	 6368.345
6121.247	 6373.287

6126.189		6378.229
6131.130		6383.170
6136.072		6388.112
6141.014		6393.054
6145.955		6397.995
6150.897		
6155.839		6407.879
6160.780		6412.820
6165.722	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6175.000	1	n/a

1 - This frequency may be assigned for unpaired use.

(6) 5 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive) (MHz)		Receive (transmit) (MHz)
6110.75		6362.79
6115.69		6367.73
6120.63	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6372.67
6125.57	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6377.61
6130.51		6382.55
6135.45		6387.49
6140.40		6392.44
6145.34		6397.38
6150.28		6402.32
6155.22		6407.26
6160.16		6412.20
6165.10	•••••	6417.14

(7) 10 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive)		Receive (transmit)
(MHz)		(MHz)
5935.32		6187.36
5945.20	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6197.24
5955.08	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6207.12
5964.97	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6217.01
5974.85		6226.89
5984.73		6236.77
5994.62		6246.66
6004.50		6256.54
6014.38	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6266.42
6024.27	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6276.31
6034.15	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6286.19
6044.03		6296.07
6053.92		6305.96
6063.80	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6315.84

6073.68		6325.72	
6083.57		6335.61	
6093.45		6345.49	
6103.33		6355.37	
6113.22	1	6365.26	1
6123.10	1	6375.14	1
6132.98	1	6385.02	1
6142.87	1	6394.91	1
6152.75	1	6404.79	1
6162.63	1	6414.67	1

1 - Alternate channels. These channels are set aside for narrow bandwidth systems and should be used only if all other channels are blocked.

(8) 30 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit (receive (MHz))		Receive (transmit) (MHz)
5945.20			6197.24
5974.85			6226.89
6004.50			6256.54
6034.15			6286.19
6063.80			6315.84
6093.45			6345.49
6123.10	1		6375.14 1
6152.75	1	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6404.79 1

1 - Alternate channels. These channels are set aside for narrow bandwidth systems and should be used only if all other channels are blocked.

(f) 6,525 to 6,875 MHz. 10 MHz authorized bandwidth.

(1) 400 kHz bandwidth channels

Transmit (receive) (MHz)	Receive (transmit) (MHz)
6525.225	 6870.225
6525.625	 6870.625
6526.050	 6871.050
6526.450	 6871.450
6526.875	 6871.875
6527.275	 6872.275
6527.725	 6872.725
6528.125	 6873.125
6528.550	 6873.550
6528.950	 6873.950

6529.375		6874.375
6529.775		
(2) 80	0 kHz bandwidth channels:	
Transmit		Receive
(receive)		(transmit)
(MHz)		(MHz)
6525.425		6870.425
6526.250		6871.250
6527.075	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6872.075
6527.925	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6872.925
6528.750		6873.750
6529.575		6874.575
(3) 1.	25 MHz bandwidth channels:	·
Transmit	·	Receive
(receive)		(transmit)
(MHz)		(MHz)
6525.625		6870.625
6526.875	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6871.875
6528.125		
6529.375		
6540.625	1	
6541.875	1	
6543.125	1	
6544.375	1	
6545.625	1	
6546.875	1	6716.875 1
6548.125		
6549.375		6700 275
6550.625		
6551.875		
6553.125	1	
6554.375	1	
6555.625	1	
6556.875	1	
6558.125		
6559.375		
6560.625		
6561.875		
6563.125		
6564.375		
6565.625		
6566.875		
6568.125	1	
6569.375	1	
6509.375	1 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	6060 125 1

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6580.625

6581.875

6583.125		6743.125
6584.375		6744.375
6585.625		6745.625
6586.875		6746.875
6588.125		6748.125
6589.375		6749.375
6590.625		6750.625
6591.875	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6751.875
6593.125	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6753.125
6594.375	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6754.375
6595.625	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6755.625
6596.875		6756.875
6598.125		6758.125
6599.375		6759.375
6600.625		6760.625
6601.875		6761.875
6603.125		6763.125
6604.375		6764.375
6605.625		6765,625
6606.875		6766.875
6608.125		6768.125
6609.375		6769.375
6610.625		6770.625
6611.875	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6771.875
6613.125	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6773.125
6614.375		6774.375
6615.625		6775.625
6616.875		6776.875
6618.125		6778.125
6619.375		6779.375
6620.625		6780.625
6621.875		6781.875
6623.125		6783,125
6624.375		6784.375
6625.625		6785,625
6626.875		6786.875
6628.125		6788.125
		6789.375
6629.375	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
6630.625		6790.625
6631.875		6791.875
6633.125	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6793.125
6634.375	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6794.375
6635.625	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6795.625
6636.875	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6796.875
6638.125		6798.125
6639.375		6799.375
6640.625		6800.625
6641.875	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6801.875
6643.125		6803.125
6644.375		6804.375
6645.625		6805.625
6646.875		6806.875
6648.125		6808.125
6649.375		6809.375
0047.3/3	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	0003.373

6650.625			6810.625	
6651.875			6811.875	
6653.125			6813.125	
6654.375			6814.375	
6655.625			6815.625	
6656.875			6816.875	
6658.125			6818.125	
6659.375			6819.375	
6660.625			6820.625	
6661.875			6821.875	
6663.125			6823.125	
6664.375			6824.375	
6665.625			6825.625	
6666.875			6826.875	
6668.125			6828.125	
6669.375			6829.375	
6670.625			6830.625	
6671.875			6831.875	
6673.125			6833.125	
6674.375			6834.375	
6675.625			6835.625	
6676.875			6836.875	
6678.125			6838.125	
6679.375			6839.375	
6680.625			6840.625	
6681.875			6841.875	
6683.125			6843.125	
6684.375			6844.375	
6685.625			6845.625	
6686.875			6846.875	
6688.125			6848.125	
			6849.375	
6689.375				
6690.625			6850.625	
6691.875		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6851.875	
6693.125		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6853.125	
6694.375		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6854.375	
6695.625		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6855.625	
6696.875		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6856.875	
6698.125		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6858.125	
6699.375		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6859.375	
6700.625		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6860.625	
6701.875		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6861.875	
6703.125		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6863.125	
6704.375		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6864.375	
6705.625		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6865.625	
6706.875		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6866.875	
6708.125	1	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6710.625	1
6709.375	1	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6711.875	1

1 - These frequencies may be assigned for unpaired use.

(4) 2.5 MHz bandwidth channels:

Transmit			Receive	
(receive)			(transmi	t)
(MHz)			(MHz)	- /
()			(/	
6526.25			6871.25	
6528.75			6873.75	
6541.25	1		6718.75	1
6543.75	1		6713.75	1
6546.25	1		6716.25	1
6548.75			6728.75	
6551.25			6731.25	
6553.75	1		6723.75	1
6556.25	1		6726.25	1
6558.75			6738.75	
6561.25			6741.25	
6563.75			6733.75	
6566.25			6736.25	
6568.75	1		6721.25	1
	1		6868.75	- 1
6583.75	_		6743.75	_
6586.25			6746.25	
6588.75			6748.75	
6591.25			6751.25	
6593.75			6753.75	
6596.25			6756.25	
6598.75			6758.75	
6601.25			6761.25	
6603.75			6763.75	
6606.25			6766.25	
6608.75			6768.75	
6611.25			6771.25	
6613.75			6773.75	
6616.25			6776.25	
6618.75			6778.75	
6621.25			6781.25	
6623.75			6783.75	
6626.25		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6786.25	
6628.75			6788.75	
6631.25			6791.25	
6633.75			6793.75	
6636.25		•••••••••	6796.25	
6638.75			6798.75	
6641.25			6801.25	
6643.75			6803.75	
6646.25			6806.25	
6648.75		••••••••	6808.75	
6651.25			6811.25	
6653.75			6811.25	
6656.25				
6658.75		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6816.25	
		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6818.75	
6661.25		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	6821.25	